UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT SEATTLE

COOK PRODUCTIONS, LLC, Plaintiff, v. DOES 1-8, Defendants.	Civil Action No. 17-cv-101 ORDER GRANTING EXPEDITED DISCOVERY

This matter comes before the Court on plaintiff's *Ex Parte* Motion for Expedited Discovery, docket no. 5. Because plaintiff cannot identify the Doe defendants without taking discovery from Internet service providers regarding each defendant's IP address, plaintiff's motion is GRANTED.

Plaintiff may initiate discovery, including the issuance of subpoenas under Fed. R. Civ. P. 45 on Internet service providers ("ISP") seeking information sufficient to identify each Doe defendant, including his or her name, telephone number, address and email address. An ISP served with a subpoena authorized by this Order shall give written notice, which includes email notice, and a copy of the subpoena to any affected subscriber(s) as soon as possible after service of the subpoena. The ISP shall provide plaintiff with the date(s) when such notice was provided to any affected subscriber(s). The ISP and/or any affected subscriber(s) shall have thirty (30)

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days from the date the subscriber is notified of the subpoena to object to the subpoena pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(d)(2)(B). Any objection must be in writing and sent to the ISP and to David A. Lowe, Lowe Graham Jones PLLC, 701 Fifth Avenue, Suite 4800, Seattle, WA 98104.

The ISP shall not disclose defendants' identifying information during the 30-day period or if a timely objection is served on plaintiff or its counsel unless and until the Court orders it to do so. If an objection is served, the ISP shall preserve any material responsive to the subpoena for a period of sixty (60) days in order to allow plaintiff to move for an order compelling production under Fed. R. Civ. P. 45(d)(2)(B)(i). If no objection is served, the ISP shall comply with the subpoena within fourteen (14) days.

Plaintiff shall provide a copy of this Order with each subpoena issued pursuant thereto.

DATED this 16th day of February, 2017.

Thomas S. Zilly

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United States District Judge

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